Stonewall

Stonewall, Dec. 1.- My, my, December is here and soon it will be time for old Santa Claus again. It has been such a short year.

It has really turned cold here, and the folks will be killing hogs this week, after going to the market today to sell tobacco. Hope the tobacco prices will be good, as it is so much hard work to raise it.

So glad to say our pastor's wife, Mrs. Colie Rock has returned home from the hospital and is getting on real nicely at her home. Hope she will soon be real well again and back at church.

Mr. Charlie Rock spent the week-end with his brother and family.

Miss Winnie Lee, of Harrisonburg and Miss Laura Carson, of Farmville, and Billy and Gene Carson, of V. P. I. spent the holidays here with their home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Barrell and family, of Virginia Beach, spent the week-end with her father, Mr. J. O. Davidson and other home folks.

Mr. F. E. Jennings and son, Edward, of Lynnhaven, Va.; Lloyd Jennings, of Roanoke, Mrs. Alma Jennings and Mr. Glenn, of Lynchburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and son, Lawrence, of Appomattox visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones and boys, at Spout Spring. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler also visited their little grandson, Brad Wheeler in Lynchburg General Hospital last week. So glad Brad is doing so nicely. Hope he will soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Turnes had their children with them for the holidays, Mrs. W. R. Jobe and Mrs. Hugh Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell Smith and girls, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Showalter and Steve, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Spain and family, of Petersburg; Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Jennings and family, and Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings, of North Carolina spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Parks Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Dysse.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Routon and family, Mr. Curtis Wooten and Mr. and Mrs .E. L. Chick were the guests of Mrs. R. H. Routon and her boys on Saturday evening.

Mr. Lester Carson received word last week of the illness of his brother, Mr. Virgil Carson, of Roanoke. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

PAMPLIN, ROUTE ONE

Pamplin, Route 1.- Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webber last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wade Berry and three children; Mrs. Mabel Chapman and baby, Bonnie Kaye, of Prospect; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Webber, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Webber and Mr. Leslie Webber, all of Pamplin and Mr. Otis Nelson, of Farmville.

Frank Webber was in Farmville today selling tobacco.

SWINE BREEDERS PLAN SALES

A series of winter sales has been scheduled by the Virginia Purebred Swine Breeders' Association, announces R. M. Godsey, associate animal husbandman at VPI and secretary of the Association.

The sales will be held at Courtland, February 1; Culpeper, February 6, and Tappahannock, February 10. All sales will begin at 1:00 P. M.

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Devotional Reading: Colossians 1:15-23.

Power for Life

Lesson for December 7, 1958

THE CHRISTIAN religion is not and never was simply a set of ideas. Being a Christian is not being an ordinary person who believes some extra things that other people don't.

The Christian religion is not simply a way of living, or a new set of rules for behavior, mostly Don'ts. The Christian is not a person with peculiar habits and nothing else to recommend him.

Dr. Foreman

The Christian religion does include ideas, radical and profound. It does involve a way, a pattern for living, but one which comes from the spirit and intent of love, divine love, rather than from a set of rules carefully memorized.

Besides these, the Christian religion is power—not power "over" but power "for". The Christian religion is supernatural, and this most strikingly in the power Christ gives to enable men to live above their ordinary selves.

Giving A Man Back

The story of Jesus and the man calling himself "Legion"—a military word which might be translated "Regiment"—has some very spectacular features. Aside from these, which have seldom if ever been repeated, the story is typical of what the power of Christ can do for a man.

First of all, Jesus gave the man back to himself. He had not belonged to himself while he was "Legion." He belonged to any one of the countless devils that plagued him. He did not even know his own right name. He could not "call his soul his own." But after Jesus was done with him, he was a man in his right mind, under control, a single person with a single mind. Second, Jesus gave the man back to society. (That particular society, alas, did not want him; they would rather have kept their pigs. But that is another story.) He was now able to live with other people and to take his share of the world's work on his shoulders. If his home town would not have him, there were others that would. And in the third place, Jesus gave the man back to God. His instructions were to go and tell what the Lord had done for him.

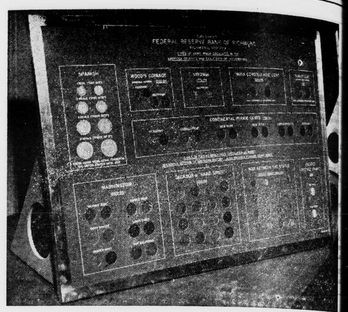
A Modern Demon

We do not have demoniacs sitting in cemeteries nowadays, not in the ancient style. But as any minister, lawyer or social worker can tell you, there is a modern demon that gets control of millions of our fellow-citizens and takes away their citizenship, reducing them to helpless slavery. This is the demon of alcoholism. Our forefathers had an uglier word for it: the drink habit. It is the fourth most fatal disease in America; and alone among diseases (if we agree it is a disease) it is entirely preventable, it is one of the few diseases known to man which a man can definitely make up his mind not to have. (But of course he can do this only by being a non-drinker. No drinker can resolve not to become an alcoholic; the very next cocktail party may tip him over the edge.) But any one who knows alcoholics, actual or potential, knows how such people are "not themselves" as the kindly phrase puts it. They are no more masters of themselves than that poor maniac in Galilee driven mad by his own demons.

Modern Miracles

Yet the alcoholic is not beyond rescue. Every week some one of these pitiable people is pulled out of the quicksand and his feet set on a rock, by the power of Christ. Men and women find a super natural power that is great enough to accomplish what good resolutions and many preachments and pleadings have not accomplished. Such a man is given back to himself, back to society and back to God. Cured alcoholics are most likely to stay cured when they devote themselves to helping others as they themselves have been helped. The most effective helper of others is likely to be the one who can say himself, "I know what the Lord has done for me." And this is true not only of alcoholics, but of those who are devil-ridden by other destroyers, pride, envy, lust and all the rest. No evil, no combination of evils, that attack and destroy man, can be a match for the Son of God . . . if only the victim is willing to be rescued!

High U. S. markets held losing exports markets.



LOCAL BANK TO EXHIBIT COIN COLLECTION BEGINNING DECEMBER THROUGH 18th.

Appomattox residents who haven't had a face-to-face meeting with a "Fugio" cent, the first authorized U. S. coin, or a Jackson "Hard Times" coin will have a chance to get acquainted with them here December 8 through 13, at the Farmers National Bank, according to T. DeWitt Evans, Cashier.

An exhibit, containing a representative collection of old coins which date back to 1722, has been obtained from the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond.

The first panel of the display includes types of coins which circulated in the American Colonies and early days of independence — 76 in all, from the 1722 Wood's Coinage farthing and halfpenny through the Civil War tokens of 1864.

Panel one also features Spanish reals which were legal tender in the United States until 1857, as well as two Virginia halfpennies minted in 1773. The first U. S. pattern coin, the "Nova Constellatio," is shown in this panel, along with the "Fugio," whose legend was by Benjamin Franklin. The "Fugio" was the first authorized U. S. coin.

Additional coins in this panel are the Continental period cents which were minted by various states, and types of tokens which have circulated as money in different periods of American history.

The second panel features regular issues of U. S. coins from the large cent pieces of 1794 to the dimes of 1902. Mr. Evans said that one outstanding coin in this panel is the 1865 two cent piece which was the first coin to carry the motto "In God We Trust."

"Probably the most unusual coin in panel three is the exhibit of the Trade Dollar," Mr. Evans said. Originally issued for circulation in the Orient to compete with the Mexican peso, the Trade Dollar was demonetized by Congress in 1887. However, many of them still circulate in the Orient.

In panel four can be found various types of American coins, gold issues, as well as regular and commemorative issues. The familiar "double eagles" are included in this panel.

The last panel in the collection shows U. S. silver commemorative issues, beginning with the Isabian Exposition half dollar and continuing through the commemoratives half dollar ending with the Franklin Memorial of 1964, included.

The coins are being shown at the Farmers National Bank at the request of the people. A compact representation of U. S. coins of high rarity, Mr. Evans said.

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Mr. Richard Nash is getting on well after being hit by a falling tree while cutting wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nash and Mrs. George Dixon visited Mr. Dixon at the hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Milton Nash, of Williamsburg and Miss Helen Cyrus, Lynchburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann last week.

Mr. Henry Mann and Vernie Jones attended a Farmers Union meeting at Farmville on Wednesday night.

Those from here attending the parade in Lynchburg Wednesday night were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and children, Mrs. Elliotte Nash and children, Mrs. Arthur Mullin and Mrs. Vernie Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waller spent Friday in Roanoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Irby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Terry Irby in Burlington, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Ferguson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coleman in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Hugeston Reams, of N. J., visited her sister, Miss Ruth Woodson last week. Ruth accompanied Mrs. Reams on a visit to relatives in Charlotte County.

Mrs. A. D. Marshall was given a birthday dinner Thursday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Jordan.

Sunday visitors of Mr. John Love were Mr. and Mrs. Len Love, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith and Mrs. Carrie Love.

Warren Jones, U. S. Army, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Jones last week.

Recent visitors in the home of Vernie Jones were Jack Jones, of Richmond, Roy Myers, of Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knight, of Washington, Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Vernie Jons visited Mrs. Otey Padgett in Lynchburg Tuesday morning.

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Hixburg

Hixburg, Dec. 1.- Thanksgiving Day was a real family-get-together for many in this neighborhood.

Jim Sears and son, of Lynchburg were dinner guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sears.

Mrs. Edwin Fore was with her son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. George Glass, in Dover, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harwood entertained with a dinner for his brother and sister-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Sam Harwood, of Victoria, and his sister and niece, Mrs. Edith Hix and Frances, of Richmond.

Watkins McPhillips and family, of Richmond arrived on Wednesday and stayed until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McPhillips.

The Ernest Carsons had their usual full house, cafteria style feast. On hand for the occasion were Ural Carson and family, of Farmville; Elantha Carson and wife, of Covington; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nuckols, of Dillwyn, Nelson Hix, and family, of Prospect, and Woodrow Carson, of Prospect.

After preaching on Thanksgiving morn, Dr. Twyman Williams made a special trip to Hixburg to extend birthday greeting to Miss Maggie Hix. From there, he hurried on to Lexington to a late dinner with his son and family.

Mrs. John Wilson Hix and Mrs. William Hix honored Miss Maggie Hix with a combined birthday and Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mrs. John Wilson Hix. The three Hix families were present. Also included were Mr. Sears Hix, of Thomasville, N. C., and Mrs. R. H. Oliver, of Prospect.

After thanks had been given and God's blessing asked on the assemblage, Janet and Jane sang "Happy Birthday." Mrs. William Hix surprised Miss Maggie when she pinned a shoulder bouquet on her dress. That was the only one Miss Maggie had ever received in her 92 years.

It is amazing what an avid interest she takes in what is going on, and the household chores she can and likes to do.

On Tuesday, Maj. W. M. Erwin, Jr., of Wiesbaden, Germany, had a four hours' stop over with the Hixes when en route to N. Y. to board a plane for Frankfurt, Germany.

He had a good word for the American schools over there. The teachers are carefully screened, and only the best are accepted.

The U. S. Government pays them all the year, and furnishes their living quarters. In addition, they have military privileges at the commissary, etc.

Cindy, Maj. Erwin's ten-year-old daughter, has just returned from a week's stay at Black Forest, Germany, where the famous cuckoo clocks are made. The students were accompanied by their teacher and five parents.

Cindy is studying conversational German, which has a good opportunity to learn at home. The Erwins have a full time Fraulein maid, who speaks no English.

Abbie Meredith, who used to live near here, underwent an operation at the Medical College Hospital in Richmond on Nov. 13. She says, "I am getting on fairly well."

NEW BOOKS IN THE COUNTY LIBRARY

The Rainbow and The Rose by Nevil Shute.

The author who never tells the same story twice and who tells any story surprisingly well, is at his best in this novel of flying men.

Masters of Deceit by J. Edgar Hoover.

The Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation explains the startling facts about the major menace of our times, communism.

Kids Say the Darndest Things by Art Linkletter.

With this collection of funny and oddly wise sayings of small boys and girls, Art Linkletter makes a priceless contribution to the anecdotal literature of childhood.

The Southern Christmas Book, by Harnett T. Kane.

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More Stories to Remember (2 vol.) by Thomas B. Costain.

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